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# ANOUSHKA FROM LONDON IS THE **BEANO** BOSS!

WORDS: Grace Balfour-Harte ART: Emily McGorman-Bruce



## WANT TO BE

## THE **BEANO** BOSS?

Next week, it could be you!

**ALL YOU NEED TO DO IS ANSWER THIS QUESTION!**

**What TV show is Dennis involved in?**

The answer is somewhere in this comic!



- **PICK THE BEST JOKES**
- **TEST OUT THE PRANK**
- **AWARD SOMEONE THE GOLDEN SPLAT**
- **READ THE COMIC STRIPS FIRST**
- **AND LOADS MORE!**

Email your answer to:

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Make sure you tell us:

**1** The answer to the question!

**2** Your all-time favourite joke!

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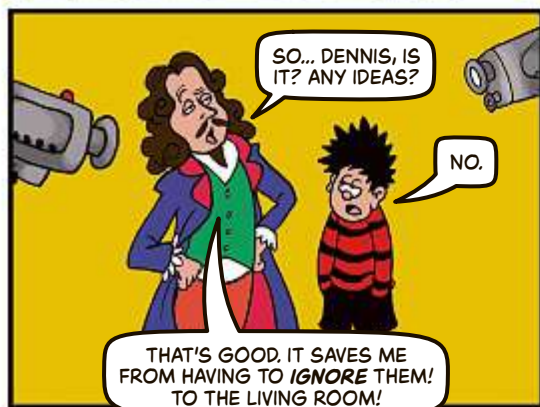
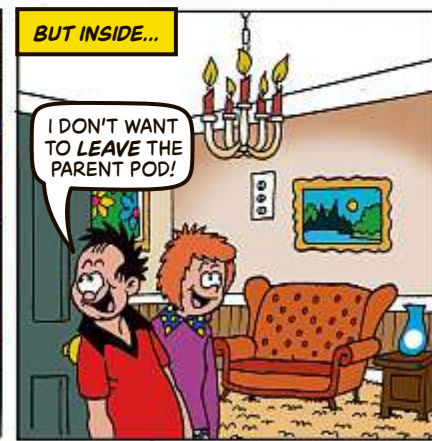
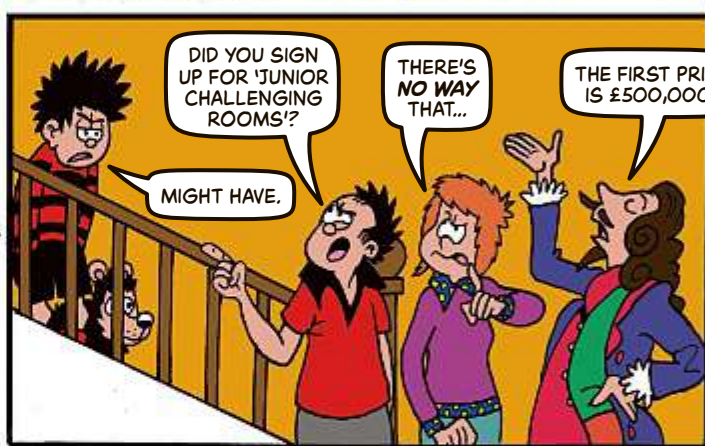
The funniest entry will be chosen by the Beano editor. Please see page 35 for important details. Did you know, octopuses have blue blood and nine brains?!

The answer to last week's question was a shoe rack!

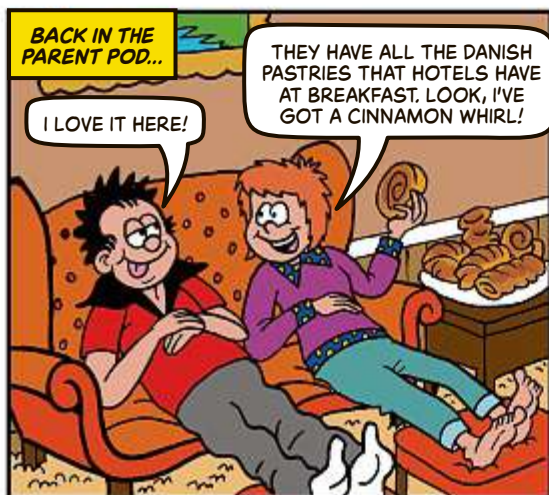
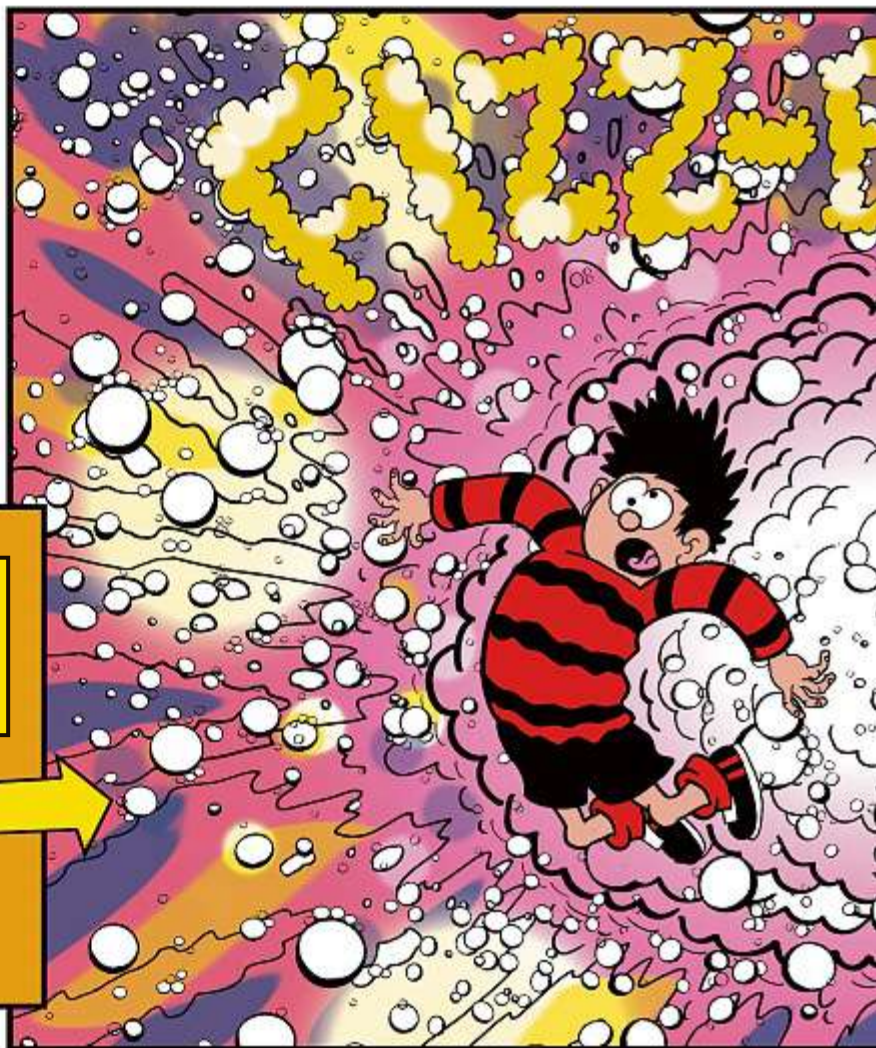


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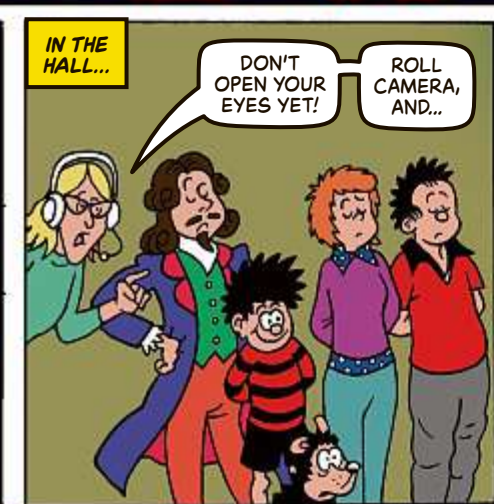
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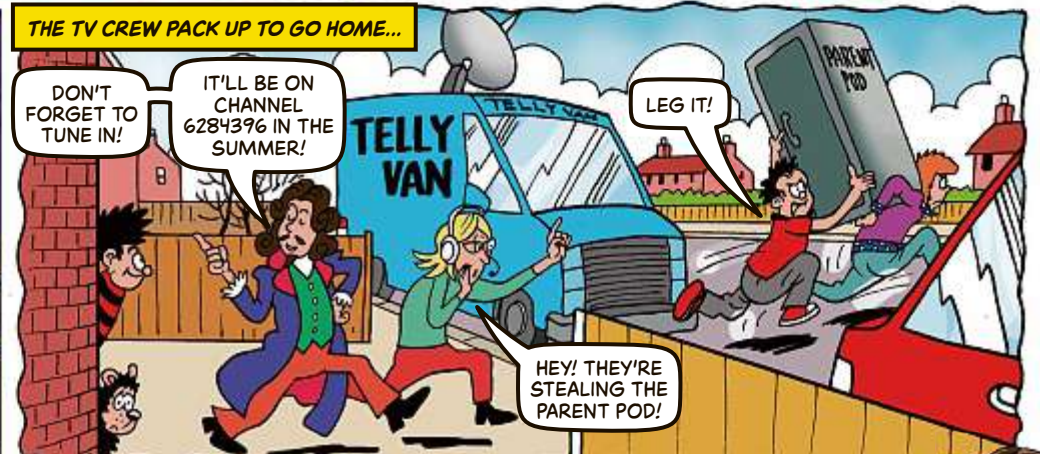
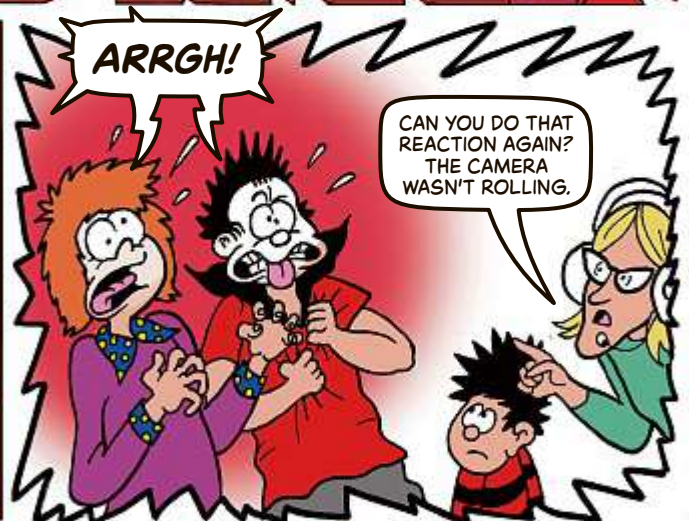
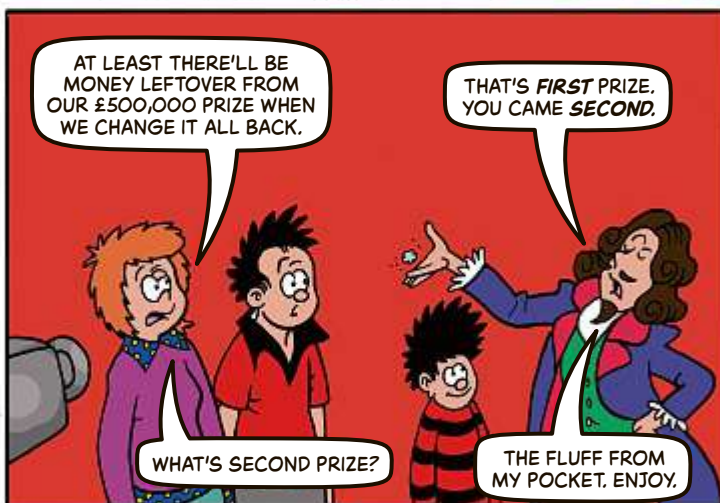
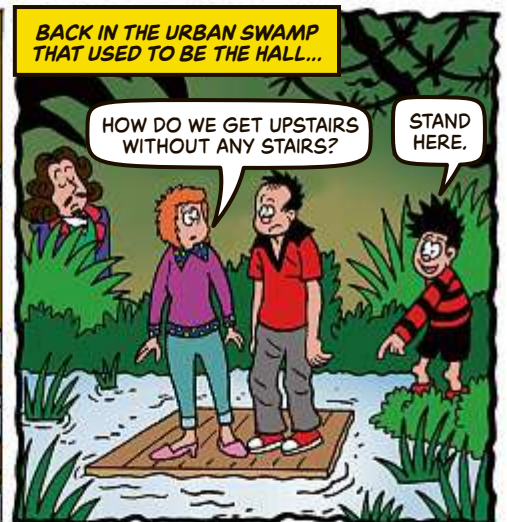
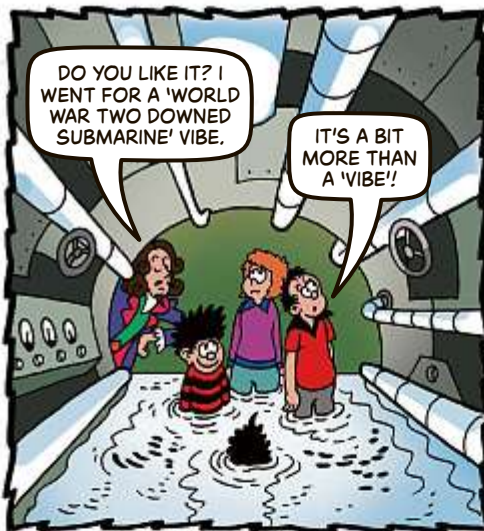












What do you call a recycled earwig? An earwigo-again!

THIS JOKE IS HILARIOUS!





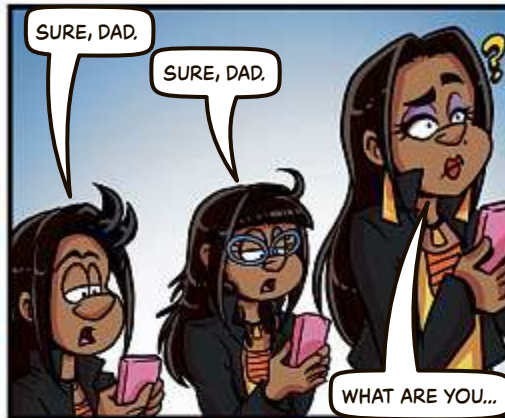




# HAR HAR'S JOKE SHOP!

MEET BEANOTOWN'S FUNNIEST FAMILY!

HARI SAHANA HEENA HARSHA HANI



WORDS: Hugh Raine ART: Emily McGorman-Bruce



What do you call a dinosaur that arrives early? A **pronto-saurus!**





# HARSHA'S PRANK ACADEMY

No.37

THIS SHOELACE TRICK IS **KNOT** TO BE MISSED!

**You'll need:**

■ The shoes belonging to the person you're pranking

1



Sneak into the bedroom of the person you're pranking.

2



Tie the shoelaces of all their shoes together to make a string of them.

3



Put the shoes back where you found them.

4



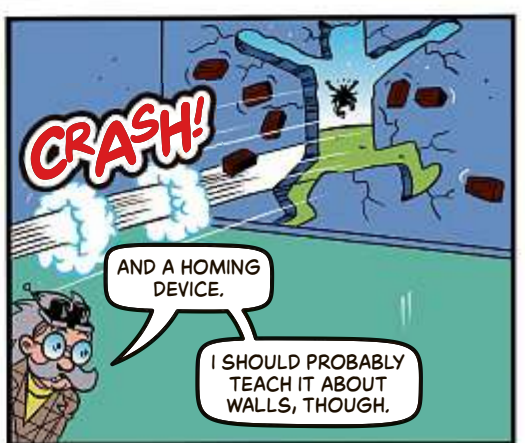
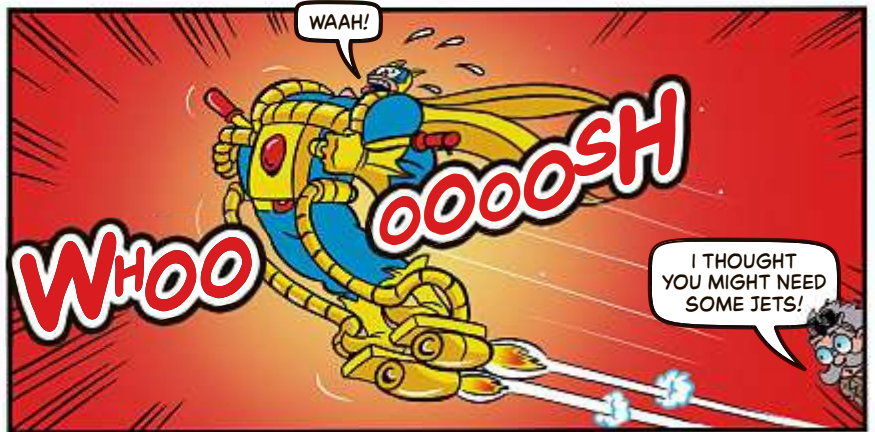
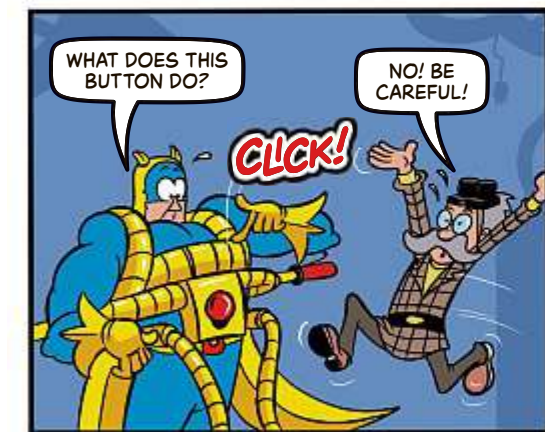
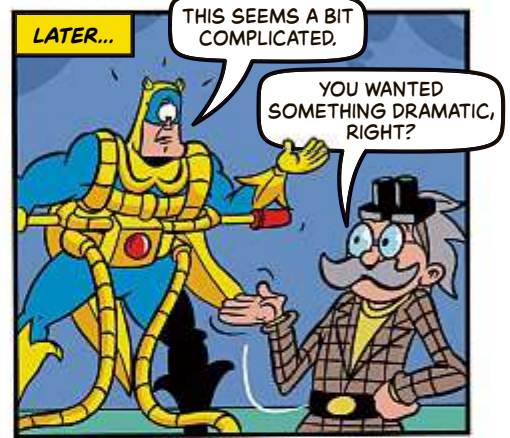
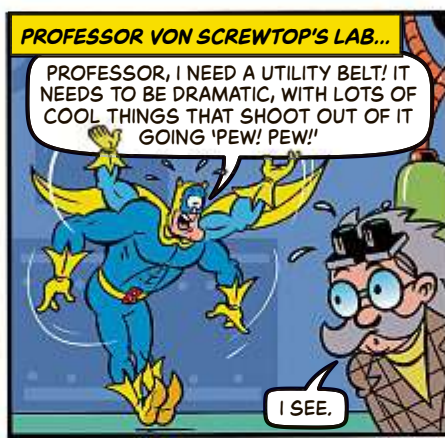
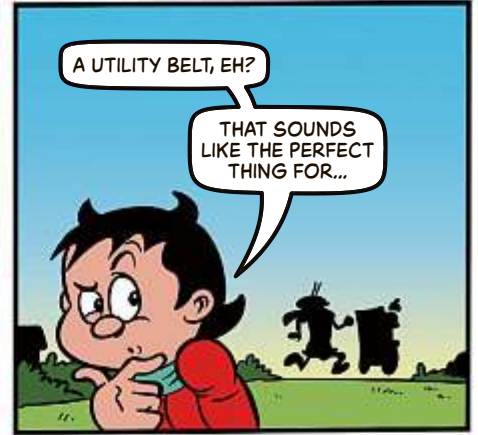
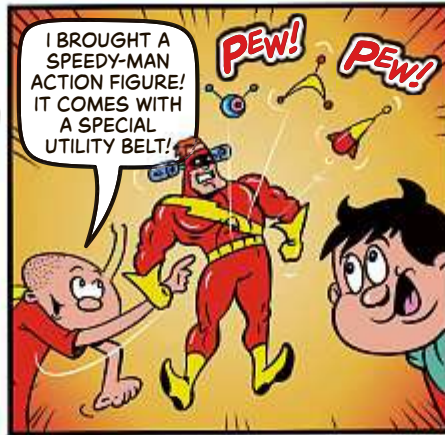
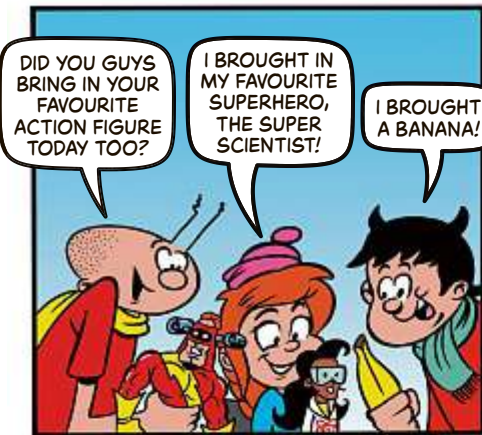
They'll be tied up in knots when they discover this trick!

I LOVE HOW SNEAKY THIS PRANK IS!

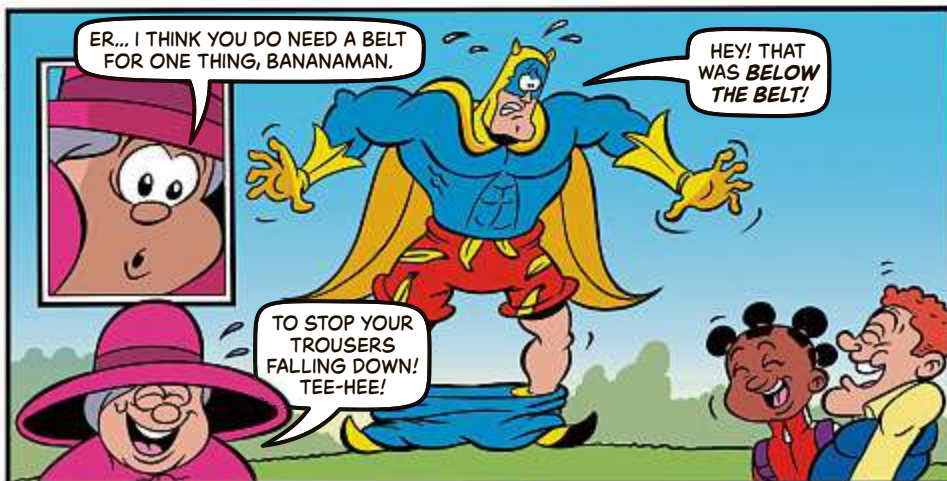
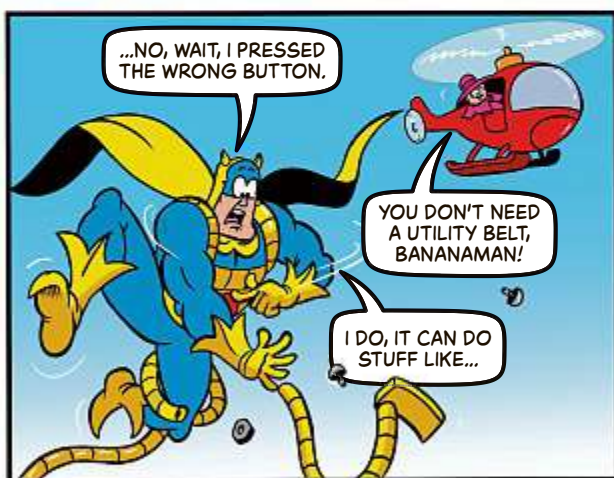
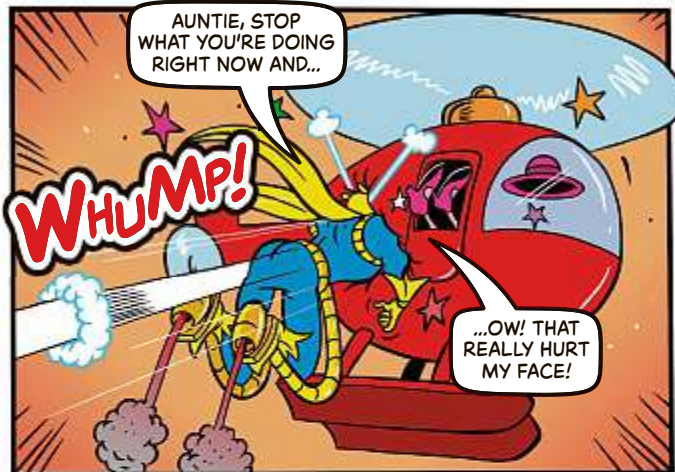
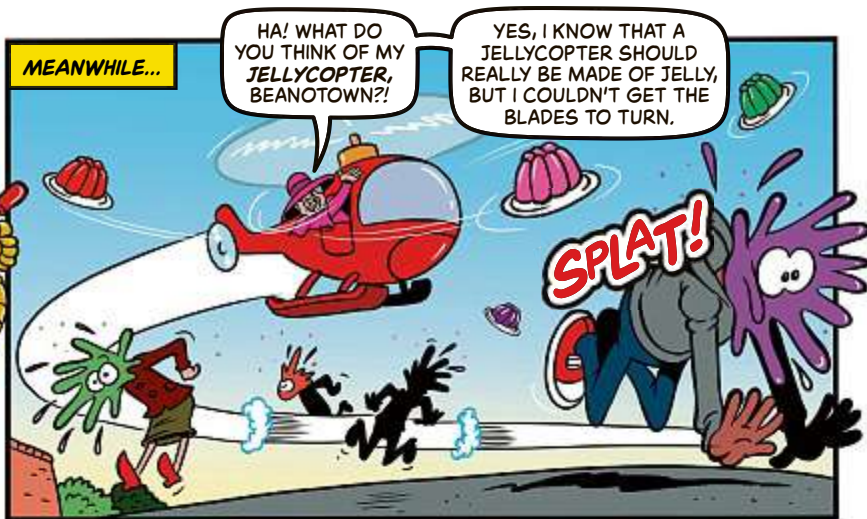
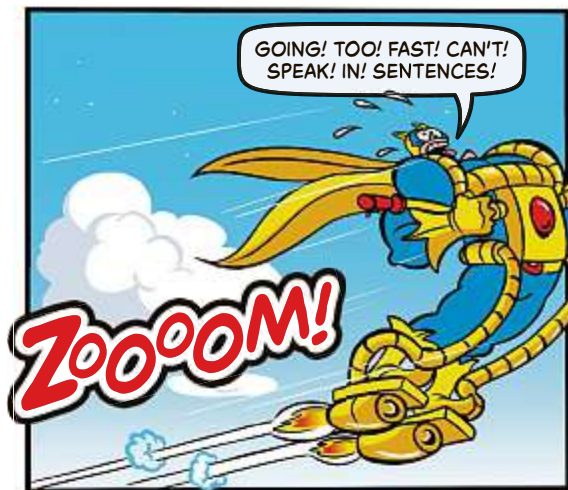




# WHEN LITTLE ERIC EATS A BANANA, HE BECOMES... BANANAMAN





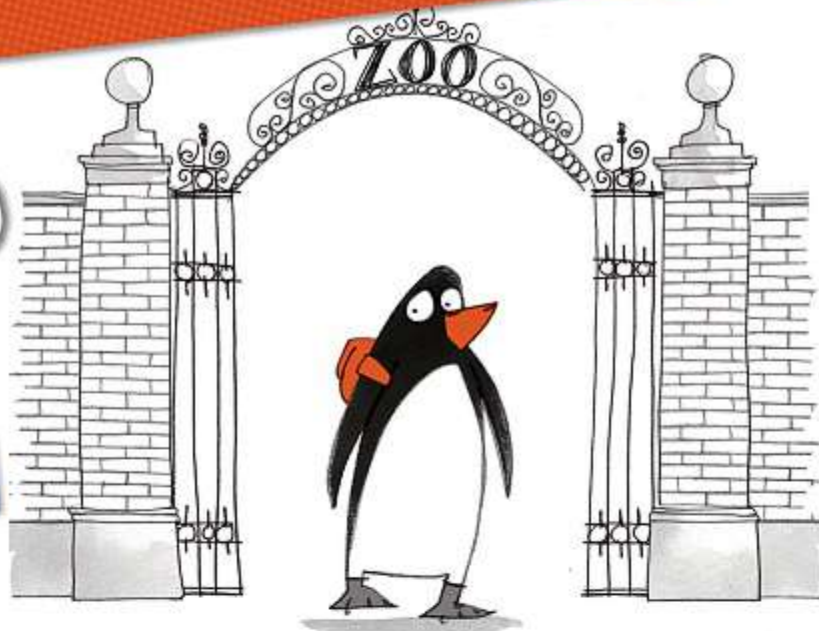


What's white, fluffy and swings through the jungle? **A meringue-utan!**



# ARE YOU AN EINSTEIN?

Can you work out which of these penguin facts are **true** and which are **penguin poo**? We'll give you a clue - only one is untrue!



**1** IN PREHISTORIC TIMES THERE WERE GIANT PENGUINS THE SIZE OF PEOPLE!

**2** YOU'LL NEVER SEE PENGUINS AND POLAR BEARS TOGETHER IN THE WILD.

**3** PENGUINS ARE WATERPROOF!

**4** LARGE COLONIES PRODUCE SO MUCH POOP, IT CAN BE SEEN FROM OUTER SPACE!

**5** THEY HAVE NO TEETH!

**6** THEY CAN FLY!

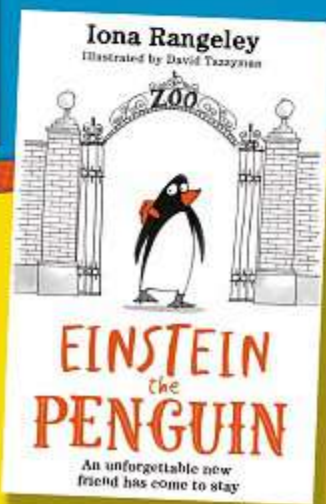
**7** MALE PENGUINS GIVE FEMALES ROCKS AS PRESENTS.

THE FAKE FACT IS NO.

**WIN A  
SWITCH  
LITE!**



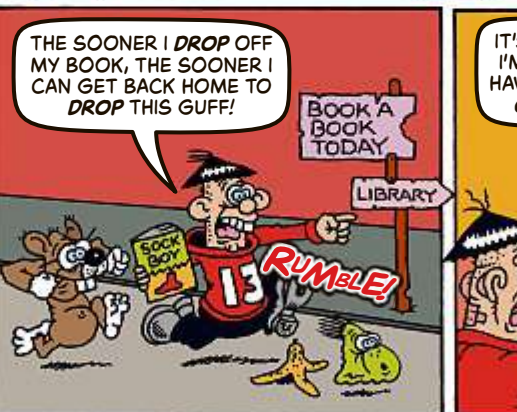
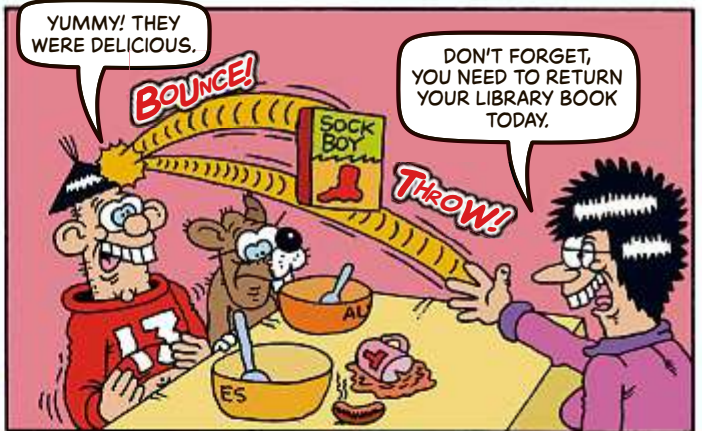
We have a star prize of a **Switch Lite** and an **Einstein the Penguin** book to be won! Arthur and Imogen's trip to the zoo brings an unexpected visitor to their house - a penguin called Einstein! Can they help their feathered friend escape the mysterious white-coat man? To enter, send us the fake fact, with your name, date of birth, parent or guardian's name, address, telephone number and email to: [comps@beano.com](mailto:comps@beano.com) with **EINSTEIN** in the subject line.





# CALAMITY JAMES

## THE UNLUCKIEST BOY IN THE WORLD!





# SMELL YOU LATER!

These jokes  
stink!

WHAT DO YOU  
CALL SOMEONE  
WHO ONLY FARTS  
ALONE AT HOME?  
**A PRIVATE  
TOOT-ER!**

WHY DO YOU  
HAVE TO WATCH  
OUT FOR A  
NINJA'S FARTS?  
**THEY'RE SILENT,  
BUT DEADLY!**

WHY SHOULD  
YOU NEVER  
FART IN A LIFT?  
**IT'S WRONG ON  
SO MANY  
LEVELS!**

HOW DO YOU  
MAKE A REGULAR BATH  
INTO A BUBBLE BATH?  
**EAT BEANS FOR  
DINNER!**

WHAT DOES  
A COW'S FART  
SMELL LIKE?  
**DAIRY AIR!**

WHAT'S  
INVISIBLE AND  
SMELLS LIKE  
CARROTS?  
**A BUNNY PARP!**

HOW DO YOU  
KNOW A CLOWN  
HAS FARTED?  
**IT SMELLS  
FUNNY!**

HOW DID THE  
BEANS GREET  
THEIR DAD ON  
FATHER'S DAY?  
**'HAPPY FARTER'S  
DAY!'**

WHAT DO  
YOU CALL A  
DINOSAUR  
FART?  
**A BLAST  
FROM THE  
PAST!**

WHAT DO  
YOU GET  
WHEN THE  
QUEEN  
FARTS?  
**A NOBLE  
GAS!**



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# BILLY WHIZZ

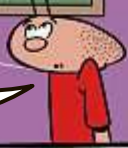
THE FASTEST BOY IN THE WORLD!



IF MY CALCULATIONS ARE CORRECT, WHEN YOU RUN AT WHIZZ-SPEED ON MY TIME TRAVEL TREADMILL, YOU'LL BE ABLE TO GO BACK IN TIME!



I DON'T KNOW, RUBI, THIS ALL SOUNDS A BIT DANGEROUS...



YOU COULD GO BACK TO FRIDAY LUNCHTIME THREE WEEKS AGO!

WHICH WAS FISH AND CHIPS DAY! I GOT AN EXTRA BIG PORTION AND EVERYTHING!



OKAY, I'LL DO IT. LET'S GET SOME FISH AND CHIPS!

JUST GIVE ME A MINUTE TO GET EVERYTHING READY...



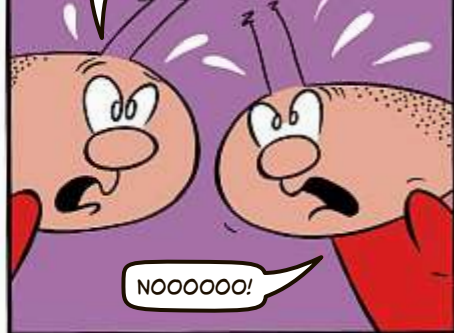
BILLY! I'M YOU FROM THE FUTURE! DON'T USE THE TIME MACHINE!

GASP! WHY NOT?



IF YOU TRAVEL IN TIME, YOU'LL RUIN THE GOOD FISH AND CHIP DAY!

NOOOOOO!



I'M FROM EVEN FURTHER IN THE FUTURE! YOU'VE DESTROYED THE ENTIRE CONCEPT OF FISH AND CHIPS!

NO MORE FISH AND CHIPS FOR ANYONE?



I'M FROM EVEN FURTHER IN THE FUTURE! SOCIETY HAS COLLAPSED BECAUSE FISH AND CHIPS ARE MISSED SO MUCH!

THIS IS ALL TOO MUCH FOR ME...



...WHAT HAVE I DONE?!

YOU KNOW WHAT YOU'VE DONE...



...YOU'VE BEEN PRANKED!

THIS IS TO GET YOU BACK FOR EATING MY FISH AND CHIPS THREE WEEKS AGO!

GOT YOU!

I DIDN'T REALISE YOU WOULD MAKE SUCH A MEAL OF IT!



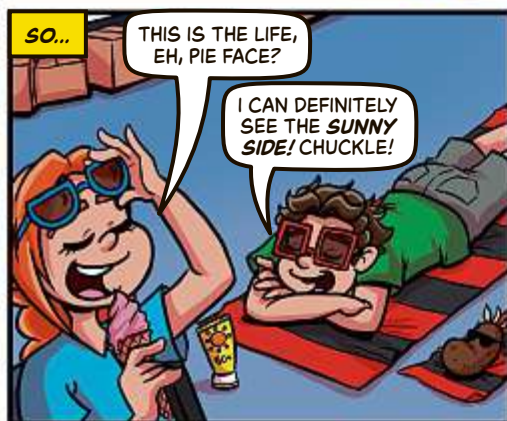
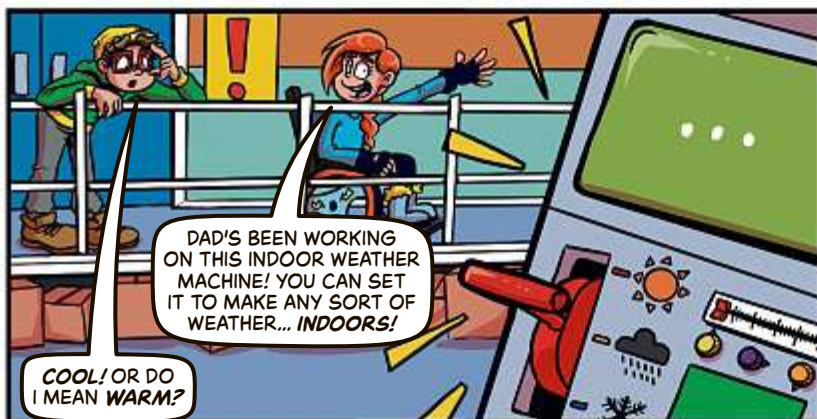
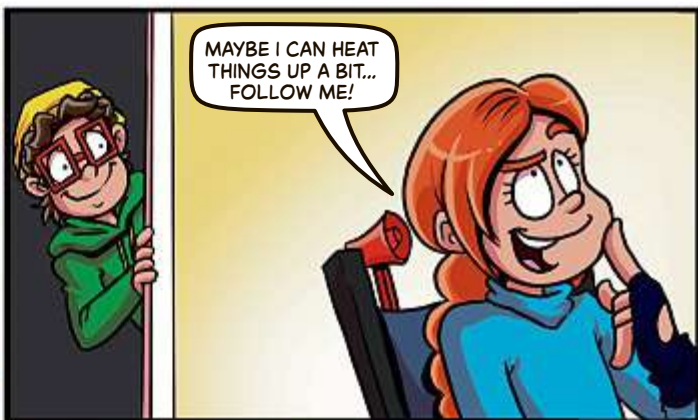
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What do you call a recycled wasp? A used-to-bee!



# RUBI'S SCREWTOP SCIENCE



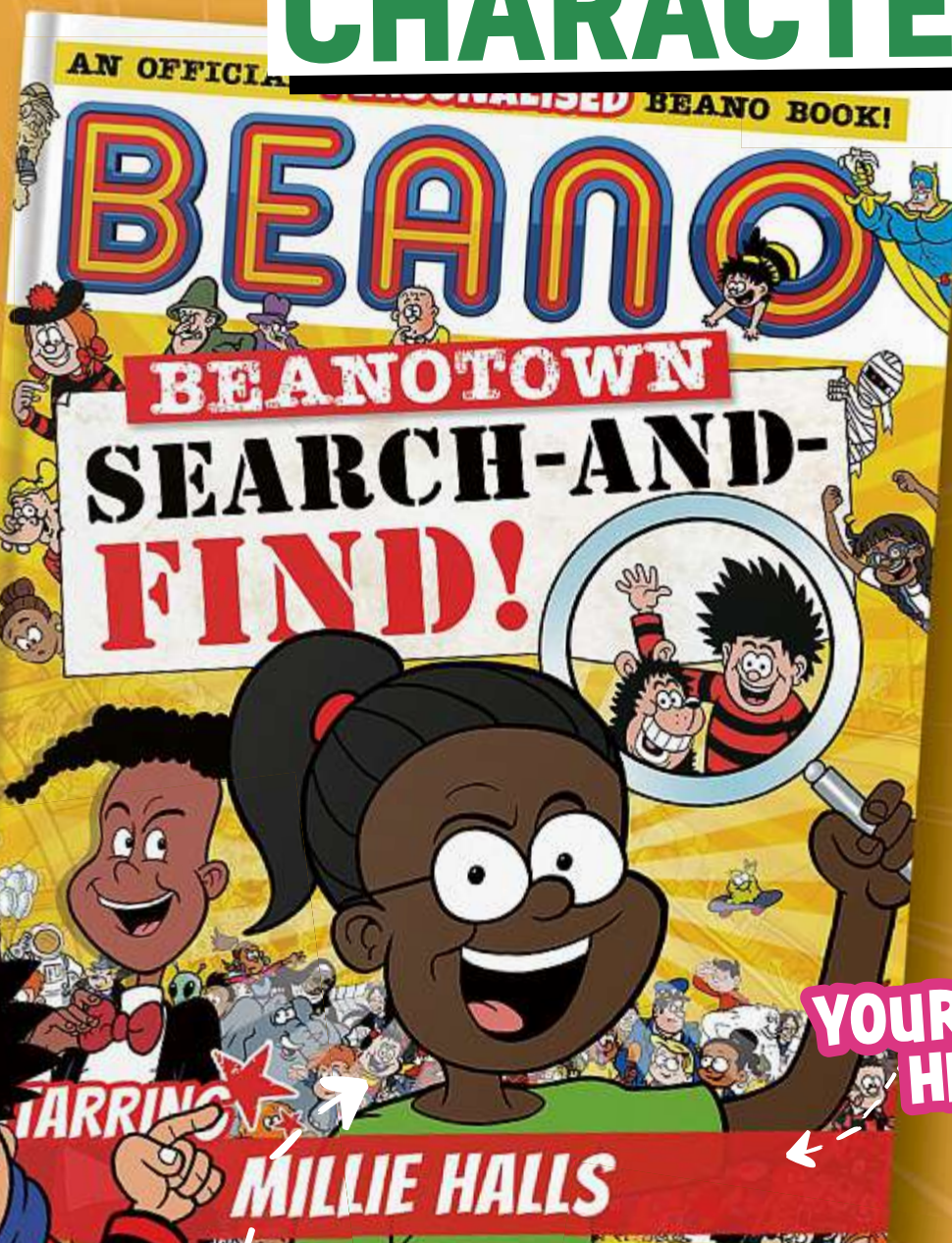


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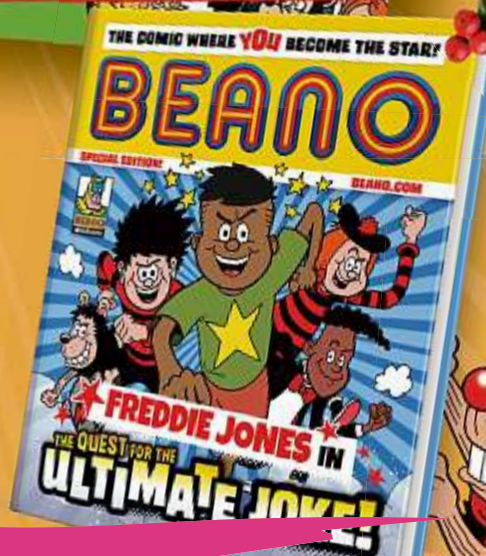
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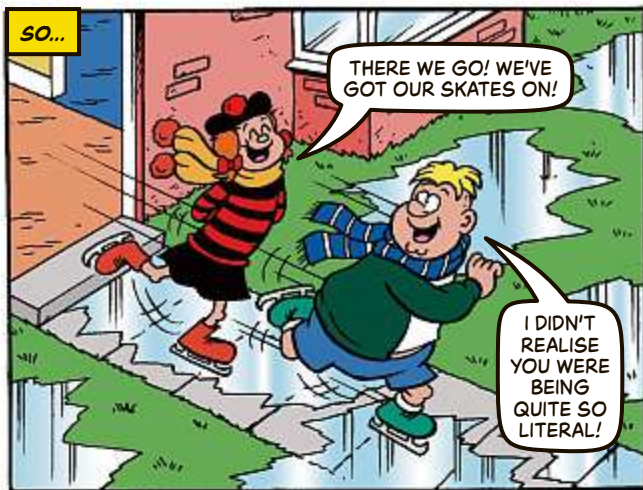


# MINNIE THE MINX

SHE'S TOUGHER THAN ALL THE BOYS...







Where can't you park in the savannah? On the double yellow lions!



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# BETTY AND THE YETI!

THE ORDINARY GIRL WITH THE EXTRAORDINARY BEST FRIEND!



WORDS & ART: Hugh Raine



What do you call a girl with a lawnmower on her head? **Mo!**



# NUMSKULLS



The Little guys that Live in your head! Everybody has them!

**THERE'S A LOT GOING ON IN EDD'S HEAD...**

IT'S AN EMERGENCY!

EDD'S STARVING!

IT SAYS, 'SLIGHTLY PECKISH'!

SLIGHTLY PECKISH MEANS DANGEROUSLY CLOSE TO BEING A SKELETON!

EDD NEEDS TO EAT ABSOLUTELY EVERYTHING!

**EDD ASKS WHEN TEA IS...**

NOT FOR A WHILE, SWEETHEART. HAVE A CARROT.

A CARROT?!

ANYTHING BUT A CARROT!

CARROTS ARE NICE! AT LEAST MUM DIDN'T SAY A TOMATO.

**I LIKE TOMATOES! - ED**

URRGH! EDD WILL EAT ANYTHING EXCEPT CARROTS AND TOMATOES!

BROCCOLI?

**I LIKE BROCCOLI! - ED**

STOP BEING GROSS! NOT BROCCOLI, TOMATOES OR A CARROT! BUT HE'S HUNGRY SO HE'LL EAT ANYTHING.

BRUSSELS SPROUTS?

**... - ED**

**SPROUTS?! ARE YOU A COMEDIAN? HE'LL EAT ANYTHING APART FROM SPROUTS, BROCCOLI, TOMATOES, CARROTS, SPROUTS, CAULIFLOWER, ANYTHING SPICY, WITH HERBS IN IT, PEAS OR BEANBURGERS.**

YOU SAID SPROUTS TWICE THEN!

I REALLY DON'T LIKE SPROUTS.

SO, MUSHROOMS THEN?

OF COURSE NOT MUSHROOMS!

EDD! TEA'S READY!

**PHEW! WE'VE BEEN TALKING ABOUT WHAT WE WON'T EAT FOR SO LONG, DINNER'S READY!**

IT'S TOMATOES, PEAS AND SPICY SPROUTS.

**ARRGH!**

JUST KIDDING! IT'S FISH FINGERS AND CHIPS.

**PHEW!**





MAKE A

# PEA-SHOOTER!

There's only one thing  
peas are good for - ammo!  
Get rid of your unwanted  
peas with this awesome  
mini slingshot!

## YOU'LL NEED!

- A LARGE BULLDOG CLIP
- A SMALL BULLDOG CLIP
- A LARGE THICK ELASTIC BAND
- STICKY TAPE
- DRIED PEAS



### STEP 1



Tie a knot at both ends of  
the large elastic band.

### STEP 2



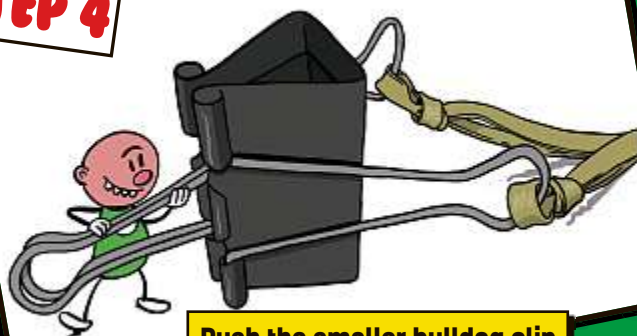
Remove both arms from the  
large bulldog clip. Slip one  
through each of the knots.

### STEP 3



Reattach the arms  
to the bulldog clip.

### STEP 4



Push the smaller bulldog clip  
inside the big one with  
the arms folded together.

### STEP 5



Wrap a piece of sticky tape  
around the middle of the elastic  
band, pop a pea on it, pull back  
and get ready for blast-off!

**BE  
SAFE!**

Do not fire at other  
people or animals!





# DANGEROUS DAN

## BEANTOWN'S **TOP** SPY!





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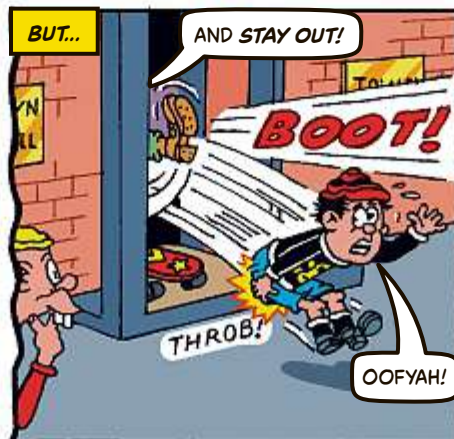
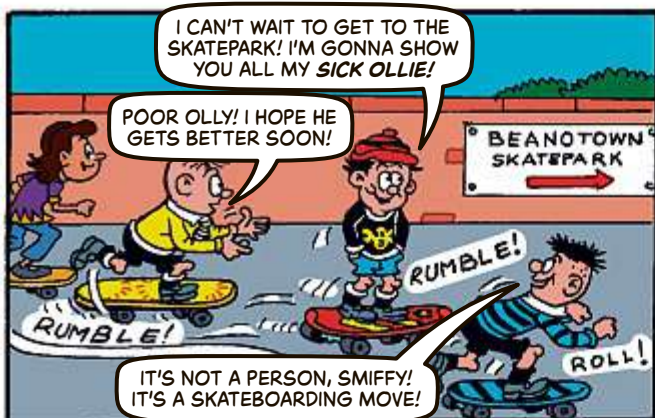
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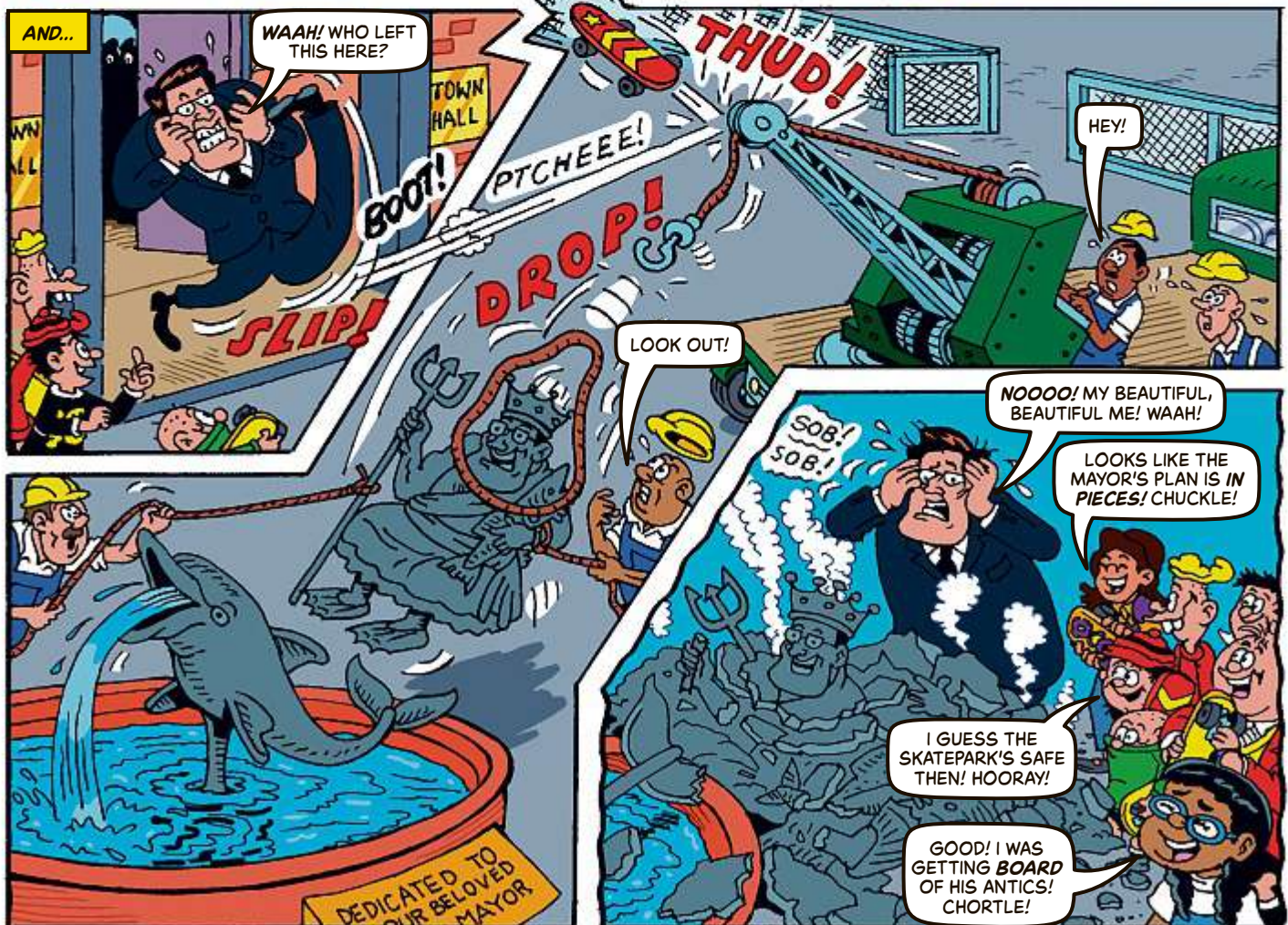




# THE BASH STREET KIDS





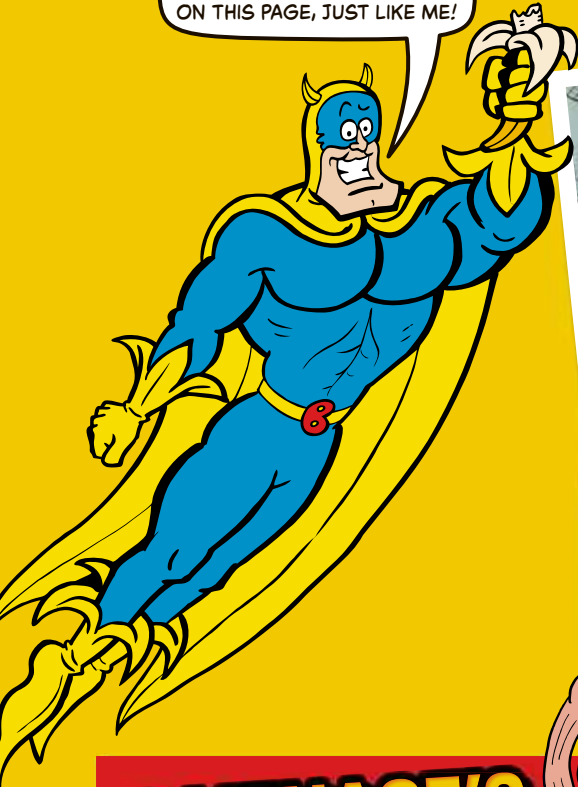


Why are jokes dangerous? You might break your funny bone!



# BE MORE **BEANO**

THESE BEANO READERS' PICTURES ARE JUST **SUPER!** THAT'S WHY THEY'VE APPEARED ON THIS PAGE, JUST LIKE ME!



## OLIVE FROM WILTSHIRE

I'M ALWAYS **YETI** FOR BEANO!



OLIVE GETS MY **GOLDEN SPLAT** THIS WEEK BECAUSE I LOVE HER DRAWING OF **YETI!**



## A MENACE'S BEST FRIEND!



## EMILY FROM DONEGAL

I THINK BEANO IS **EGGS-CELLENT!**

**Emily** loves to read Beano with her chicken **Opal!**



## GRETA FROM LONDON



DENNIS IS **MY** SUPERHERO!

**Greta** visited Wakehurst Gardens to see Dennis!

## Who's your menacing best mate?

No menace is complete without their best animal buddy! Do you have a pet you love to read Beano with? Take a picture and send it in with your name and home town to [animalbuddy@beano.com](mailto:animalbuddy@beano.com)



## MARY FROM YORKSHIRE



Mary made a potato clock while reading Beano!

## RUBY AND JULIA FROM SOUTH KOREA



Ruby and Julia built a Beano boat!

## EMILY FROM MANCHESTER



EMILY HAS BEEN BUSY DRAWING THE NUMSKULLS! OBVIOUSLY, I LOOK THE BEST!

## JONATHAN FROM ISLE OF WIGHT



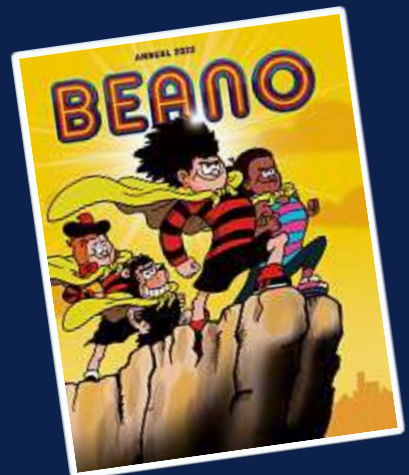
I'M TEN, JUST LIKE DENNIS!

Check out Jonathan's Dennis cake!

DO YOU HAVE WHAT IT TAKES TO...

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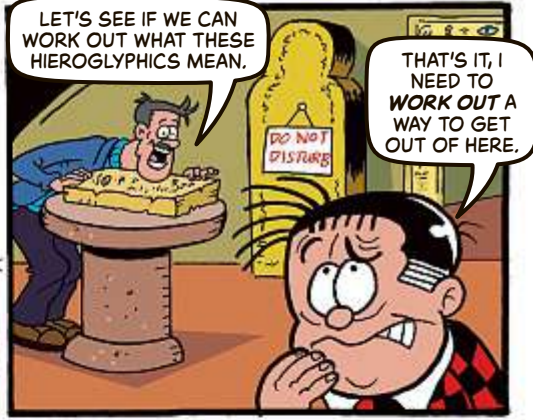
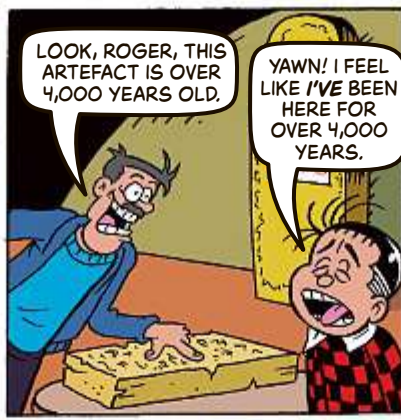
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# ROGER THE DODGER

HE'S ALWAYS GOT A TRICK UP HIS SLEEVE!



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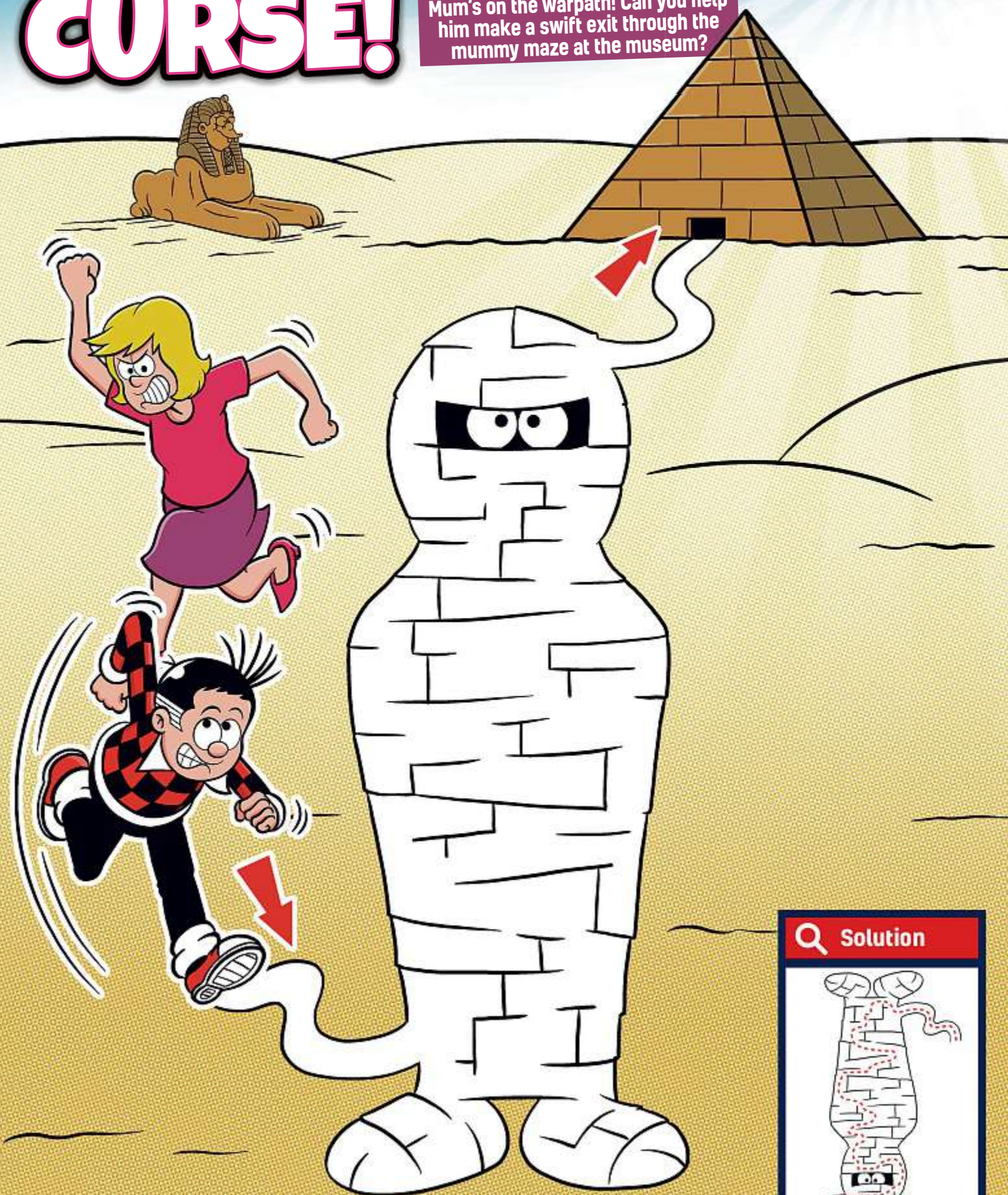


What do you get when you cross a monkey and a flower? A chimp-pansy!

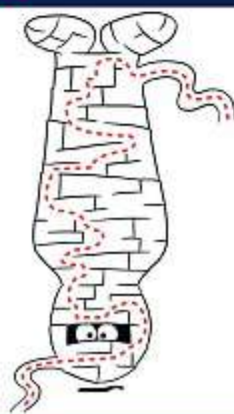


# THE MUMMY'S CURSE!

Uh-oh! Dad told on Roger and now Mum's on the warpath! Can you help him make a swift exit through the mummy maze at the museum?



**Q Solution**





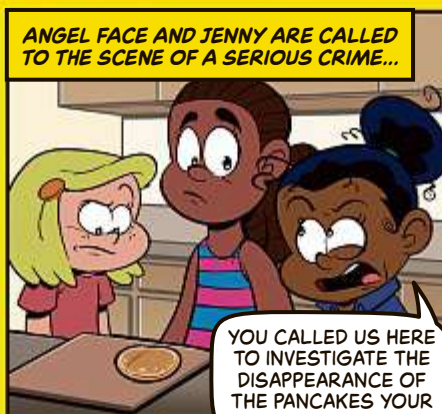
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LAST WINTER...

MUM, WHEN'S IT  
GOING TO SNOW?

I DON'T KNOW, SEB.  
IT MIGHT NOT.

THERE IT IS! A  
SNOWFLAKE!

SEB RUSHES OUTSIDE...

OH, COME ON!  
IS THAT IT?!

NOOOO! IT  
MELTED! AND WITH  
IT, MY DREAMS!

DRAMATIC MUCH?!

SNOW!

HAVE I GOT  
SNOW POWERS?

WAIT, DID I DO THAT?!

SEB TRIES AGAIN...

**FLUMP!**

SNOW!

HA-HA-HA!

SNOW!

SNOW!

SNOW!

**FLUMP! FLUMP! FLUMP!**

THAT'S ENOUGH OF  
THAT, SEB! I NEED TO  
GET TO WIDL LATER!

THIS WINTER, SEB IS MORE  
RELAXED ABOUT IT SNOWING...

SEB, MAKE IT SNOW!

THAT'LL BE A  
QUID EACH.

WORDS: Nigel Auchterlounie ART: Hunt Emerson

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